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SUBJECT: BOLIVIAN ACCESS TO THE SEA

REF: LIMA 0980

1. WITH REFERENCE TO PARAS ONE AND SIX OF THE REFTTEL, THE GOV IS AT LEAST TALKING ABOUT PRESSURING THE PERUVIANS TO COME TO TERMS ON THE PROPOSED BOLIVIAN CORRIDOR TO THE SEA. PRESIDENT CARLOS ANDRES PEREZ TOLD ME DURING A CONVERSATION ON JANUARY 22 THAT HE INTENDS TO PRESS BOTH THE PERUVIANS AND THE CHILEANS TO SETTLE THE ISSUE ASAP. HE SAID THE GOP IS ANXIOUS FOR CONTINUING ASSISTANCE ON PETROLEUM IMPORTS AND THAT HE WOULD USE THAT LEVER IF NECESSARY. PEREZ EXPRESSED OPTIMISM THAT BOTH COUNTRIES WOULD COME AROUND IN TIME SO THAT NEXT JUNE'S "AMPHICTYONIC CONGRESS" CAN HAIL THE THE SOLUTION TO THIS ANCIENT PROBLEM.

2. COMMENT: CARLOS ANDRES GETS CARRIED AWAY AT TIMES WITH HIS VISION OF HIMSELF AS BOLIVAR'S HEIR BRINGING HARMONY AND
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UNITY TO LATIN AMERICA. BUT HOWEVER EXAGGERATED THESE

NOTIONS THERE IS NO SIGN OF FLAGGING IN HIS ENERGETIC PURSUIT
OF SOLUTIONS TO OTHER PEOPLE'S PROBLEMS.
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